



Social & Talk

The next meeting is at 20:00 on Monday 3rd March at Wivenhoe sailing Club.

Karl Lumbers, a Trinity House Ambassador will be presenting:-

The Trinity House Story, One of Britain's best-kept secrets.

Incorporated by Royal Charter by Henry VIII in 1514, Trinity House is today a vital part of Britain's maritime community. In



addition to owning and operating lighthouses, lightvessels, beacons and buoys to keep mariners safe around our shores. Trinity House is called in to mark, and clear if required. Wrecks. They help develop state of the art electronic navigation tools for vessels of all sizes, and to act as Nautical Assessors in Admiralty Court cases.

Add to that a sizeable maritime fraternity which regularly advises on current maritime issues and future opportunities, and a charitable side that donates more than £5m a year to worthy maritime causes, and you start to get a picture of Trinity House.

Then add cadet schemes to train future Merchant Navy mariners and leisure seafarers, alms-houses for the use of retired mariners, holidays in converted lighthouses and even public tours and private receptions offered in its stunning historical London HQ on Tower Hill.

Membership

Reminder that payments for membership, moorings and storage are now due. After 1st March there is a £10 surcharge/

Cruises in company

The social programme is in hand, popular destinations are Bradwell, Heybridge and Tollesbury. As part of the kindred clubs, we are also welcome on events run by Wivenhoe and Rowhedge Cruising association and the Wivenhoe Sailing Club.

Shed news

Shed Wednesdays are making an enormous difference around the site. This is not only increasing access for owners but also the amount of storage available for boats and trailers. Thankyou!

Moorings

With changing patterns of ownership there are a few moorings available this year.

Other News

There is a lot of expertise in the cooperative. Whilst YouTube is now the fountain of knowledge, there is nothing like the personal touch. If there is something you would like help with, the Monday socials or shed Wednesdays are a good place to start.

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